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GOVERNOR ENJOYS RACING

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
AMONG BIG THROG AT PALMETTO PARK.

John Furlong Wins St. Patrick's Handicap, to Satisfaction of Many Who Had Backed Him as Favorite of Feature Race.

Charleston, S. C., March 17.—The largest crowd of the present season witnessed today's racing at Palmetto Park. Prominent among those present were Governor Cole L. Blease and party, including State Senator Mann and Appell. The sport was interesting and immensely enjoyed by the vast throng. The feature race, the St. Patrick's Handicap, at a mile and an eighth, carrying a value of \$1,200, was won by F. J. Pons consistent racer John Furlong, which conceded weight to all the others and scored commandingly over Cherryola and Milton B., with several other fair performers among the unplaced contenders. It marked the first victory of the Tennessee Stable this season, and as John Furlong was a smartly backed favorite, his victory was popular.

Big fields were the rule except in the closing dash, which originally had fifteen entered, but was reduced by withdrawals to seven starters. Two "good things" materialized during the afternoon in Star Gift and Theresa Gill. Both were short-priced choices and won with consummate ease. An effort to pull off a coup with Golden Treasure in the third race met with failure. He was backed down in the betting from an opening of 3 to 1 to even, but showed nothing in the running to warrant the support and finished a distant trailer. The backers of Syosset, in the opening dash, had a justifiable grievance when he was beaten a short margin by R. H. Gray. Syosset was much the best and only succumbed on account of Ober's overconfident handling. Rough riding was responsible for Cuttyhunk's failure in the last race, won by Blue Mouse. Mycenae was the offender and jockey Van Benschoten, his rider, had a lengthy session with the stewards concerning the affair, but managed to escape punishment. The officials are not after "the rough riders" and had a lengthy session with jockeys Buxton, Scharf and Dreyer, but no action was announced.

Tom Shaw retired from the booking ranks today on account of illness and will go to New York, where he will try the rest cure until the opening of the Norfolk meeting. His interest here will continue and he looked after by his brother Harry. The latter had supervision today of the booking operations.

T. McBride, owner of Gold Cap, bought today at private terms from C. T. Patterson, acting for John E. Madden, the two-year-old filly colors.

After the victory of Star Gift, she was bid up to \$805, an advance of \$505 over her entered price, but was retained by her owner, Sidney Murray did the bidding.

Fred Gerhardt returned today from a flying trip to Norfolk, where he had a conference with Manager Rob Levy. According to Mr. Gerhardt, there are about 150 horses already at Norfolk awaiting the opening of the racing, the latest arrivals being James Fitzsimmons, who got in from Shreveport Bay with nineteen horses and the Quincy Stable's eight, T. Collins was also a recent arrival, with Bourbon Beau in his string. That horse is giving every indication that he will stand training successfully.

G. W. J. Russell sold at private terms today the two-year-old filly Mock to J. H. Meyers.

The Palmetto Park course was heavy this morning, when the following work-outs took place:

Anquet—Three-quarters in 1:22, cantering. Is ready to run good race.
Ancon—Half mile in 53. Has speed in the soft going.
Benedictina—Five-eighths in 1:08. Is fit and perfect soft going.
Colonel Cook—Mile in 1:54. Never looked better and is training finely.
Colons—Three-eighths in 38, driving. Showed speed in the going.
Counterpart—Mile in 1:51, well in hand. Likes soft going.
Edna Leska—Half mile in 53. Is fit.
Ella Graue—Half mile in 55. Likes the mud.
Facts—Half mile in 59. Training slowly.
Frog—Three-quarters in 1:22, cantering.
Golea—Three-eighths in 40, cantering.
Hejock—Half mile in 53, all out. Of little account.
Idleweiss—Mile in 1:55. Looks good, but appears to lack speed.
Jawbone—Three-eighths in 41. Training slowly.
Joe Stein—Three-quarters in 1:24, hard held. Is right on edge.
Kinnawdy—Three-quarters in 1:23. Training slowly.
Lawton Wiggin refused to work.
Letturino—Three-quarters in 1:26, hard held. Is fit.
Miss Jonah—Mile in 1:55, cantering.
Miss Nett—Half mile in 54. Has shown little.
Prince Ahmed—Five-eighths in 1:08. Right on edge.
Progressive—Three-eighths in 40, well in hand.
Semi-quaver—Three-quarters in 1:22. Right on edge.
Talecarrier cantered a slow mile.
Thetis—Half mile in 55. Has shown nothing.
Tick Tack—Three-eighths in 40, well in hand.
Tiddling—Three-eighths in 40. Was anxious to run.
Tolson d'Or—Three-quarters in 1:25. Training slowly.
Troy Weight—Three-quarters in 1:23. Has had plenty of slow work, but has shown little speed.
Viley—Three-quarters in 1:26, breezing.

THE ENGLISH VIEW OF RHODA B.

Rhoda B., whose death at the Glencairn Stud, County Dublin, was recorded in "Sporting Life," was one of the most successful broodmares of recent times. Not only did she throw two classic winners in Orby and Rhodora, but in successive years, 1904 and 1905, but all her produce could with a fair claim to the United States in 1895, she was brought as a yearling to England by Mr. Croker, and placed under the care of Charles Morton at Wantage, where Mr. Croker settled down for a time. Rhoda B. showed pretty smart form as a two-year-old. She faced the starter five times that season. At the Newmarket Second Spring Meeting she made a satisfactory debut by winning the Exning Plate, for which she was first favorite. As it happens, this is the only victory with which she is credited, but some of her other performances were quite good, for she ran second to Florio Rubatino for the New Stakes at Ascot, and to Platonic (who beat her a head) for the Great Kingston Two Year Old Plate at Sandown Park.

In the autumn she competed for the Middle Park Plate, and in the Eglington Nursery at Manchester, but ran unplaced in both contests. Presumably she remained in training the next season, or during part of it, because she did not go to the stud until 1899. She, however, never ran after her two-year-old days, and, therefore, he died in a heavy one to Mr. Croker, who always took a pride in showing her to visitors to Glencairn. I have seen her there many times. "Our Special Commissioner" in London Sporting Life

THE MAN WHO DECIDES THE FINISHES AT JUAREZ



W. H. SHELLEY.

ing his versatility and usefulness as an all-round racing official when James Milton resigned as starter in the midst of the Churchill Downs meeting on account of being unable to get satisfactory results under the system of starting which had been decreed by the Kentucky State Racing Commission. Judge Shelley stepped into the breach and, taking up the task which Mr. Milton laid down, obtained results that were highly satisfactory to the patrons of the sport. The meeting was about half over when he took on the work and he served to its end.

From the personal standpoint, Judge Shelley is extremely popular with his associates and the racing folk with whom his duties bring him in touch. He has qualities that wear well and that have endeared him to his friends.

KENTUCKY, the home of the thoroughbred in America, has produced many capable racing officials, among others William H. Shelley, presiding placing judge at Juarez and Churchill Downs. Although still in the prime of life, Judge Shelley may safely be considered a veteran from the standpoint of service as a racing official, for he has been in the harness for nearly a quarter of a century. He was born at Louisville, Ky., September 27, 1889, and when only twenty years old he was appointed to fill one of the minor positions in connection with racing at Churchill Downs. Since that time he has filled practically every position on a race track from presiding judge down.

His experience covers service on tracks far apart. In the days of racing at New Orleans he was a valued member of the official staff there. When Matt J. Winn invaded the east and conducted racing for James Butler at the Empire City track at Yonkers, N. Y., Judge Shelley went along to help and filled the position of associate judge, in addition to discharging other important duties. In the fall of 1911 he accompanied Colonel Winn to Mexico City and acted as presiding judge over the most pretentious meeting that the Mexican capital has ever seen. He has filled his present position at Juarez from the opening of that Mexican track in 1909. In addition to deciding the finishes he acts as clerk of the scales at Juarez.

Besides his Juarez and Churchill Downs engagements Judge Shelley serves the Kentucky Association at Lexington each spring and fall as racing secretary. His efficiency in this respect has been an important factor in the success which has attended racing at Lexington of late. He seems to have the faculty of bringing the good horses together frequently, which, of course, results in a superior brand of sport.

During the spring of 1910 Judge Shelley was afforded an unusual opportunity of demonstration in a filly race when James Milton resigned as starter in the midst of the Churchill Downs meeting on account of being unable to get satisfactory results under the system of starting which had been decreed by the Kentucky State Racing Commission. Judge Shelley stepped into the breach and, taking up the task which Mr. Milton laid down, obtained results that were highly satisfactory to the patrons of the sport. The meeting was about half over when he took on the work and he served to its end.

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NOTES OF THE TURF.

H. B. Gorin of Cincinnati was a recent arrival at Palmetto Park.

Some thirty head of horses will be sold in the Juarez paddock Thursday.

Charles Kohler's Puggins won the Prix de la Venerie, an \$800 hurdle race, at Auteuil, in France, last Thursday.

Eugene Lutz will ship his stable of horses, including Messenger Boy, to Norfolk for the meeting beginning April 1.

The first of the special trains that will transport horses to Norfolk from Palmetto Park will leave Charleston March 27.

Jockey Schwebig, who has been under suspension since the early part of the Juarez meeting, is visiting his parents at Las Vegas, Nev.

Wade McLemore's horses are among those that will be shipped from Juarez to Alan to take part in the meeting of the Coeur d'Alene Fair and Racing Association.

Fred T. Wood will hereafter devote his attention exclusively to the breeding of thoroughbreds at his farm at Abilene, Tex. Failing health influences him to retire as an owner.

James MacManus has left Juarez to spend a month at Los Angeles before returning east for a summer campaign in Kentucky, where O. A. Bianchi will train a big string of horses for him.

A half-sister to Highbridge was among the American yearlings that Irving H. Wheatcroft recently sold in Australia. She is by Knight Errant—Duress, by Dungenary, and brought only \$375.

Col. M. J. Winn probably will be tendered the position of manager of the Overland Park meetings in Deer in the event of the passage of the pari-mutuel bill now before the Colorado legislature.

THIRTY LEADING AMERICAN JOCKEYS.

Although he failed to ride a winner last week, Burlingame still heads the list of American jockeys for 1913. Gross, who stands second, is under suspension. The record of the thirty leaders, from January 1, to and including the racing of Sunday last, is as follows:

Jockey.	Mts.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Unp.	P.C.L.W.
Burlingame	213	33	29	27	124	15 0
Gross	255	31	40	35	129	13 3
Keders	155	30	27	24	74	20 1
Butell	173	27	25	28	81	15 4
Buxton	156	26	26	19	85	17 2
Robbins	152	26	11	17	98	17 6
Musgrave	106	25	17	19	45	24 1
Halsey	163	20	16	15	112	12 1
Hoffman, R.	108	19	15	13	61	18 0
Montour	113	12	6	17	78	11 1
Wolfe	99	11	7	10	71	11 0
Peak, C.	93	11	14	9	59	12 4
Wilson, J.	54	10	12	10	22	19 3
Skirvin	108	10	14	6	78	10 2
Ford	75	9	9	13	41	12 2
Kneuer, T.	47	8	7	6	26	17 1
Pickett	49	8	4	4	33	16 3
McDonald	82	8	6	6	62	10 0

GREEN B. MORRIS REACHES LEXINGTON.

Lexington, Ky., March 17.—Green B. Morris, the dean of American trainers, arrived here today from Juarez. His two horses, Kiva, winner of six races, and Console, winner of five races, at the Mexican track, will arrive tomorrow.

Applications for stalls were received today from Alex Humphrey, Jr., of Louisville, Charles Wilson and Tom Brown, the last-named two being at Charleston.

The best moves noted at the local track this morning were:

Crime de Menthe—Three-quarters in 1:18 3/4.

Hobbs—Three-quarters in 1:25, cantering.

Miss Thorpe—Five-eighths in 1:04.

Rossini—Five-eighths in 1:05.

GEMMELL HAS BAD LUCK

ODDS-ON CHOICE, OFF POORLY IN JUAREZ
RACE, BEATEN BY BEING POCKETED.

Was One of Four Favorites That Were Heavily Supported and Failed to Run Up to Expectations.

El Paso, Tex., March 17.—St. Patrick's day saw a big crowd at the Juarez track. In connection with the opening of the Cattleman's Convention the buildings of the city are gaily decorated. The visiting cattlemen attended the races today in large numbers. Two favorites scored, but the four that lost were heavily backed and their failures greatly disappointed the public. Gemmell, the odds-on choice of the fifth race, met with bad racing luck. He failed to break as well from the post as he usually does and after being sent up to the leaders he got into a jam and was knocked out of his stride. The old horse has a peculiar temperament. If he is bothered during the running he becomes contrary and will not try.

May L. graduated from the maiden ranks by running a smart race in the opener. Jack O'Lantern, now at the height of his form, caused some surprise by just cantering to his position all the way in the closing dash. He might have been a high-class horse but for having bad feet, which bleed at times after the running of a race. He also is unreliable at the start, as he sometimes wheels and refuses to break.

Jockeys Irvin and McCabe were suspended for the rest of the meeting by starter Cassidy for disobedience at the barrier.

Price McKinney passed through here today on his way to Chihuahua, his business being so urgent that he did not even remain over a day to enjoy the sport.

There is to be a nineteen days' meeting at Tulsa, Okla. under the direction of R. J. Allison, commencing April 26.

Enoch Hughes, who looked here during the previous two seasons, made his appearance here today from his home in Denison, Tex. He came with the cattlemen and intends to remain for the rest of the meeting.

The Juarez track was in prime condition this morning, when the following work-outs took place:

Ancestors—Five-eighths in 1:04. Is good.
Angelus—Five-eighths in 1:01 1/2. Is good.
Baby Doll—Three-quarters in 1:18, breezing.
Chapultepec—Three-quarters in 1:16. Training exceptionally well.
Colonel—Five-eighths in 1:04. In prime condition.
Colonel Marchmont—Half mile in 54. Acts good.
Compton—Half mile in 48 1/2. At his best.
Cool—Five-eighths in 1:01 1/2. Improving.
Delmas—Three-eighths in 36 1/2. Is good.
Dick Baker—Seven-eighths in 1:30. Extra good for him.
Dick Dodie—Half mile in 48 1/2. In prime condition.
Dorothy Dean—Half mile in 54. At her best.
Downland—Five-eighths in 1:04. Training light.
Dr. Macias—Three-eighths in 36 1/2. Of little account for him.
El Palomar—Seven-eighths in 1:30. Acts extra good.
El Sabio—Three-eighths in 36 1/2. Of little account.
Floral Park—Three-quarters in 1:16. Is ready.
Force—Mile in 1:41 1/2. Exceptionally good for him.
Furlong—Half mile in 47 1/2. Is good.
Hadad—Mile in 1:45. Training well.
Hanly—Half mile in 54. Training slowly.
Heart's Desire—Five-eighths in 1:01 1/2. Acts good.
Horicon—Mile in 1:41 1/2. In prime condition.
J. B. Robinson—Three-quarters in 1:17. Is good.
John Hurie—Half mile in 51. Improving.
Katty Connor—Seven-eighths in 1:30. Training well.
Kitty W.—Three-eighths in 37 1/2. Is good.
Maxson—Mile in 1:40. All right.
Mother Katcham—Three-quarters in 1:17. Training well.
My Buena—Half mile in 51. Improving.
Nannie McDee—Three-eighths in 36 1/2. At her best.
Nana Nick—Three-eighths in 36 1/2. In prime condition.
Okonite—Half mile in 51. Training slowly after winter's rest.
Palo Alto—Half mile in 51. Training well.
Rose Onell—Mile in 1:48. Training slowly.
Russell McGill—Three-eighths in 37 1/2. Acts good.
Sir Alvescot—Half mile in 54. Training exceptionally well.
Shorty Northcutt—Half mile in 54. Acts fairly well.
Sticks, Pin—Seven-eighths in 1:30. Is good.
Tay Boy—Three-eighths in 36 1/2. At his best.
Trojan Belle—Half mile in 47 1/2. Is good.
Vested Rights—Half mile in 54. Improving.
Weyanoke—Three-eighths in 36 1/2. Is good.

ACCOUNTANT GOES TO MT. KISCO.

New York, March 17.—The prospects of the Jockey Club's Breeding Bureau for the season of 1913 are bright, the keepers of the stallions having reported many mares booked and the arrival of many foals sired by these thoroughbred horses.

The high-class stake horse, Accountant, donated to the Breeding Bureau of the Jockey Club by James B. Brady, and the winner of the Withers, Tidal, Lawrence Realization, Brighton Derby, Saratoga Derby, Annual Champion, etc., has been transferred by E. L. Munson to the old Daly farm at Mt. Kisco, Westchester County, Mt. Kisco is the home of many of the greatest lovers of the thoroughbred horse, and Accountant's success at this farm is assured.

Barleythorpe has been transferred from Watertown, N. Y., to D. Ware, at South Hamball, Oswego County, and a letter received at the office of the Breeding Bureau of the Jockey Club reports his safe arrival. All metropolitan race-goers will remember Barleythorpe, for which James Gaffney paid \$15,000 in his two-year-old form.

Shot Gun, Margrave, Advance Guard and many of the well-known stallions on the metropolitan courses are all reported as having wintered well.

HAVRE DE GRACE DECISION SOON.

Havre de Grace, Md., March 17.—Race track folk in Harford County are anxiously awaiting the decision of Judge Harlan in the case of the Havre de Grace Agricultural and Mechanical Fair Association, promoted by Harry B. Wolf and others, of Baltimore, vs. the Harford County Racing Commission, for refusal to grant a license for racing on the proposed new track at Havre de Grace beginning June 1.

At the conclusion of the hearing Judge Harlan stated he would render a decision as soon as the testimony has been written and the bills of exception filed by both parties.

Owing to there having been no cases before the court last week, Judge Harlan has been in Florida on a business trip. He returned home yesterday and it is expected the decision will be made public within a day or so.

By Ben Strome—Flying Gold Dust (L. Gladstone).

2384 C. d'Alene 1 1:39 $\frac{1}{2}$ fast 13 94 6 1 1 2 6 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ Hill 6 G. M. Miller, Meadow, Carlton

By Nealon—Rebecca Ban (C. R. Richards).
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6796	Juarez	3-4	1:13	fast	15	103	1	4	4	1 ^{nk}	2 ¹ / ₂	Gross	7	Sea Cliff,	Parlor Boy,	Miss Je
6724	Juarez	3-4	1:12	fast	4	103	1	5	6	6	6 ⁷ / ₇	Groth	7	Sir Barry,	Love Day,	Edm Ada

Ink 2½	Gross	7	Sea Cliff,	Parlor Boy,	Miss Je
6 6½	Groth	7	Sir Barry,	Love Day,	Edm. Ada

7329 Juarez	1 1:43 $\frac{1}{2}$ slow 7	110	3	2	2	3	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	C Peak	4 Bonanza, Salesia, Cockspur
7384 Juarez	5 2:1:20 $\frac{1}{2}$ fast 10	105	2	2	2	2	11	11	Hill	7 S. Almagost, Chantelero, M. Bon.

32-48½ C Peak
011 73 Hill

6075 Laurel	1 1-16 1:46½	fast	3½	101	8	5	4	4	4²	4³½	Carter	10 Oakhurst, Rey, Springmass
6081 Laurel	1 1-16 1:40½	fast	4½	100	5	4	6	5	5	5½	Carter	7 Danabrook, Danabrook, Danabrook

42 4³/₂ Carter 10 Oakhurst, Rey. Springmass

6827	Juarez	5½ f	1:08	fast	4	103	9	7	8	6	4½	Bur'game	10	Ins. Man, Sprigh. Miss, Kamchat
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6836 Juárez	1 1:40 ²	fast 5	108	3	2	3	6	7	7 ¹²	R'htmire	7 John Louis, Rosevale, Black Ma
6812 Juárez	1 1:40	fast 6	113	4	1	1	5	6	6143	Buxton	6 Swish, Engraver, Orperth

7 712 R'htmire 7 John Louis, Rosevale, Black Ma
6 6143 Buxton 6 Swish, Engraver, Orperth

4538 Butte	3-4 1:13 ^g fast	18- ^g 111 6	4 4 4 ^g 4 ¹²	Buxton	6 Finnigin, Fleet, Fashion, Evell
4471 Butte	5 ¹ / ₂ f 1:08 fast	4 107 3	3 3 4 ^g 3 ⁴	Taplin	7 F G Hogan C Goetz TubeR

4⁶ 4¹² Buxton 6 Finniglin, Fleet, Fashion, Evell
4⁸ 3⁴ Taplin 7 F. G. Hogan, C. Goetz, TubeRc

6656 Juárez	1 1:44	slow 4	110	4	4	4	2	23	12	Hill	8	B. Cook, Lambertha, L. March
6261 Denver	1 1:42 ³	good —	109	2	2	2	2	10	13	Bur'game	4	The Home, Math, B. H.

23	12	Hill	8	B. Cook, Lambertha, L. March
14	13	Bur'game	4	The Haven, M. A. B. 55

7085	Juarez	3-4	1:13 ²	fast	10	110	3	3	3	3 ³	1 ¹	Barham	10	Pedro, Mazurka, Phil Connor	
7060	Juarez	1	1:41	fast	7	105	4	4	5	7	53	581	Hill	7	Palma, Elsie, Silver, G...

33	11	Barham	10	Pedro, Mazurka, Phil Connor
53	581	Will	7	Belma, Elsie, Susan, Carl

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3-74 E. Nishi 3 Sweeting Spray, Zool, Rue

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SEA CLIFF

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This was Collyer's one-horse wire Sunday. For further information, read expert comment in this paper. Yesterday's Wire withdrawn. Saturday I gave Flora Fina, 7 to 2, won, and a loser. In fact, last week was productive of good information.

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